

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the Specification as follows:

Please amend/replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 15-20 as follows:

~~The applicant has already proposed a~~ A conventional fixed type constant velocity joint ~~which has~~ is known to have eight torque transmitting balls in order to realize further size compaction and weight reduction while securing strength, loading capacity and durability ~~which are more than in~~ exceeding that provided by a fixed type constant velocity joint having six torque transmitting balls as shown in Figs. 9A and 9B.